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Dr. H. D. Broadbuss, DENTIST, KEYTESVILLE, - MO.

Graduate of University of Tennessee. All dental work done by the latest approved scientific methods, at reasonable prices. Office up stairs front rooms, over Agee Bros.' grocery store.

A full line of rubber goods at Miller & Lewis'.

A specially fine line of ladies' handkerchiefs, suitable for holiday gifts, at Miller & Lewis'.

Remember that Miller & Lewis handle the Brown Shoe Co's., celebrated boots and shoes—the best in the land.

Gloves—A new line of kid gloves, just received at Mrs. C. P. Vandiver's, in black and all of the leading shades.

Don't forget that Miller & Lewis carry a fine line of gent's furnishing goods. Call and see them before making your purchases.

REMEMBER

That Harms, the tailor, keeps a nice line of samples and guarantees a perfect fit.

FOR SALE—I have 500 barrels of corn for sale at my farm, 2 1-2 miles northeast of Keytesville. I will also furnish lot to anyone desiring to feed on premises.
T. J. HANCOCK.

Go to Rosenstein, at Brunswick, for all the novelties in ladies' dress goods and wraps.

For Sale.

Mascott brick and tile press machine and fixtures. Also a lot of second-hand lumber for sale or trade.
GEO. CHAPMAN.

Blank's Coffee Isn't Good

Why is it that people who try it once will never take any other kind? Why is it that every one of my competitors says he has a brand "just as good as Blank's"? Why is it that I sell more of it than the sales of about all my competitors combined? If things keep on at their present rate, it won't be a year until I'll be the only grocer in Keytesville who sells coffee. Blank's coffee costs from 25 to 40 cts a pound. If you buy it and don't like it, come back and get your money.

Christmas Eatables. Christmas Presents.

My Christmas candies are better and I have more of them than ever. They cost from 10c to 75c a pound. I've plenty of nuts and fine fruit. I've lots of figs dates and things for mince meat, like seedless raisins, citron, etc. For a pretty present that costs but little you might look a long time before you found anything as appropriate as my mugs, cups and saucers. Lamps make serviceable presents. I have them in many grades and at all prices. And my prices are always a little lower than other grocers, quality considered.

S. M. White, KEYTESVILLE, MO.

Boys who want fire-crackers that crack loud and fireworks that make a fine display, come to my store.

All kinds of dress goods and trimmings at Miller & Lewis'.

A. J. Agee, of Salisbury, visited Keytesville relatives last Saturday.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

Uncle Hiram at opera house tomorrow (Saturday) night, Dec. 15th.

Judge L. H. Herring and P. S. Rader, of Brunswick, were visitors at the capital last Saturday.

The Sumner Masonic lodge will give a public installation of its newly elected officers on Wednesday evening, Dec. 19th.

Rev. R. L. Stratton, a Baptist minister, is conducting a protracted meeting, at Hog ridge, in Cunningham township.

The Arabian dance in Uncle Hiram. See the greatest craze of the season at the opera house tomorrow night.

We have just received a handsome line of cheville table covers for the holiday trade.
MILLER & LEWIS.

The Brookfield Argus' Charity ball given at Green's opera house, in that city, on Thursday of last week was a "whirling" success, netting \$85.20.

Ed D. Agee, who is presiding as principal over the Clifton Hill public school to the entire satisfaction of its patrons, was in Keytesville last Saturday.

The Citizen is still of the opinion that Mendon ought to have a public well. And yet Mendon is not noted for its reputation as a "water-drinking" town.

Ed T. Miller and Dr. H. D. Broadbuss drove over to Salisbury last Friday evening. It is none of our business whether the trip was one of business or pleasure.

Miss Minnie Miller returned home on Thursday afternoon of last week from a pleasant visit of two months to her sister, Mrs. J. D. Blanton, of Nashville, Tenn.

The ground presented quite a wintery appearance Tuesday morning as a light snow fell Monday night, but was soon melted by the drizzling rain which followed.

A home talent entertainment, "Rebecca's Triumph," will be given at the city hall, in Brunswick, on Thursday evening, Dec. 27th, under the auspices of the Christian church.

When you want the pure article, try Kellogg's pure, hand-made sour-mash whiskey.

Go to J. P. Moore, Keytesville, Mo., for cheap furniture and undertaker's goods of all kinds. He will give you rock bottom prices. Go see him before you buy, and save money.

Miss Mary Woodward, the accomplished principal of the Mendon public school, recently had an operation performed on her eyes by a Kansas City oculist, which promises to relieve her entirely from eye troubles from which she has been greatly inconvenienced and annoyed for some time.

Several Keytesville young ladies have organized a social and literary club, and are preparing to give an entertainment at the opera house in the near future. The fact that Keytesville young ladies have it in charge is a sufficient guarantee that the affair will be a decided success, and a rare treat to our citizens.

The railroad train, consisting of an engine and five coaches, puffing and blowing whistles, crosses the stage in less than ten seconds. All this great scene in Uncle Hiram. See it and be convinced at the Keytesville opera house, Saturday night, Dec. 15th.

The Grand River Medical society was in session, at Brookfield, on Thursday and Friday, Dec. 6th and 7th. Those in attendance from this county were: Drs. C. D. Stratton and C. P. Bryan, of Rothville, Dr. J. W. Hardy, of Sumner, and Dr. T. F. Martin, of Brunswick. The latter gentleman read a paper on "Auto-Infection" for the edification of his medical brethren.

Candy, only 10c, at S. M. White's.

Go to S. M. White's for Xmas candy.

S. M. White, as usual, leads on candy.

Keep your eye on S. M. White's ad. Changes every week in the year.

Keep your eye on my ad every week in the year.
S. M. WHITE.

See those fine moquet and Wilton velvet rugs, for the holiday trade, at Miller & Lewis'. They are beauties.

They all say we are going again to S. M. White's for our Xmas candy. He carries the best and cheapest.

You can not find a more suitable holiday present than one of those lovely moquet or Wilton velvet rugs at Miller & Lewis'.

We have the largest line of nuts and fruits, such as oranges and bananas, in town.
S. M. WHITE.

The Sumner Star had a "baby" last week. That is, the Star issued a supplement on account of its liberal advertising patronage.

We have a fine line of toys that must go, even at your own price.
S. M. WHITE.

S. M. White is selling lamps cheap, so cheap that if you want one you can be suited without any trouble.

My ad. changes every week in the year. Watch for it. It tells some interesting things.
S. M. WHITE.

Messrs. John L. Eidson and A. L. Wires, jr., are developing a coal mine with a 22-inch vein of coal, which they recently discovered near the Brunswick public school building at a depth of only 25 feet from the surface.

Never in the history of the oldest inhabitants have we been blessed with such sublime autumnal weather as we have had this fall. It is enough to arouse the 'skeeter from his slumbers and cause the rose to bloom anew.

Miss Mary Meyer, of Brunswick, who has been holding cases on the COURIER for the past five weeks, will return home tomorrow afternoon. Miss Mary is an excellent typist, and her services in this office have been greatly appreciated.

One would have scarcely thought that Thanksgiving had just passed, by the number of sleek, fat turkeys that citizens, of Keytesville, were meandering around the streets with on Saturday. They were the rewards for good marksmanship at a grand shooting match "up the gulch."

Go to Hansman & Rick and call for their 1891 hand-made Bourbon. You will find it matured well, palatable and strictly pure.

George F. Brown at one time engaged in the livery business, at Brunswick, and a well-known mule dealer, will soon embark in the livery business, at Los Angeles, Cal., having permanently taken up his residence in the Golden state. The worst thing we ever knew about George Brown is that he will persist in remaining a bachelor.

Rosenstein's clothing department is the pride of Chariton county. He always carries the latest fads in clothing and gent's furnishings, and has a mammoth stock to select from.

This office is now engaged in printing one of the largest briefs ever put forth from the press of this part of the state. The compositors have now in hand 200 closely written pages of manuscript, with more coming. It is the old Cut-Off bottom land suit so long in litigation by Captain Benecke, Sterling Price, et al, and comes from that eminent attorney, Hon. C. Hammond, of Brunswick. By the way, the COURIER can now boast of one of the best job work booms it has enjoyed for many moons, for all of which it returns thanks.

WM. C. GASTON,

—WILL BE HEADQUARTERS FOR—

Elegant Christmas Presents

During the Approaching Holidays.

See a Partial List of Fine Presents.



Books, Books,
Plush Goods,
Toys, Toys,
Toilet Articles,
Novelties,
Toy Furniture,
Silverware,
Fireworks,
Vases, Games,
Dolls, Jewelry.



The above cuts represent men of a marked difference in stature. We don't care about your stature, but we are anxious to sell you your Christmas Goods.

We have only room to mention a few articles in this space. You will find our stock complete. We shall be glad if you inspect our stock, which will be sold at LOWER PRICES than ever offered in Chariton County.

W. C. GASTON,

KEYTESVILLE, - MISSOURI.

SOME OF SWAIN'S BARGAINS.

Twenty Pounds Granulated Sugar.....	\$1 00
Twenty-two Pounds Light Brown Sugar.....	1 00
Twenty-five Pounds Dark Brown Sugar.....	1 00
Four Pounds Good Roasted Coffee.....	1 00
Three Pounds Extra Fancy Coffee.....	1 00
Five Pounds Good Green Coffee.....	1 00
Twenty-five Pounds Navy Beans.....	1 00
Twenty Pounds Good Raisins.....	1 00
One Pound Fancy Tea.....	20
Six Bars Any Kind Laundry Soap.....	25
Twenty-five Boxes Matches.....	25
Four Pounds Dwight's Cow Brand Soda.....	25
Forbes' Baking Powder, Nothing Better, per can.....	25
Good Baking Powder, per can.....	10
"Q" Brand Corn and Tomatoes, Finest Packed.....	10
"Q" Brand California Fruits, Nothing Better, per can.....	20

All kinds of California Evaporated Fruits lower than ever known. Finest stock of Staple and Fancy Groceries, Queensware, Tinware, Notions, etc., ever brought to Keytesville, and at Prices to suit the times.
Yours for Business,

G. L. SWAIN. Keytesville, Mo.